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SUBJECT: PROPOSED SALARY INCREASES OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

AT IMF/IBRD

REF: (A) KUWAIT 3960, (B) KUWAIT 3721, (C) STATE 159020.

1. KUWAIT HAS DECIDED TO VOTE AGAINST PROPOSED SALARY INCREASES FOR EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS AT IMF/IBRD.

2. FINANCE MINISTER AL-ATEEQI IN LETTER RECENTLY RECEIVED BY AMBASSADOR ENCLOSED COPY OF LETTER ON SUBJECT WHICH HE SENT JULY 21 TO TREASURY SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL. TEXT FOLLOWS:

"EXCELLENCY:

"YOUR LETTER CONCERNING THE PROPOSED INCREASE IN THE IMF/IBRD EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS' COMPENSATION HAS BEEN GIVEN THE CLOSEST CONSIDERATION. WE BELIEVE THE ARGUMENTS ADVANCED AGAINST APPROVING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON REMUNERATION OF THE IMF/IBRD ARE ALL WELL TAKEN AND CORRESPOND GENERALLY TO OUR OWN THINKING ON A DELICATE AND DIFFICULT ISSUE.

"I AM GLAD THEREFORE TO BE ABLE TO INFORM YOU THAT MY

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GOVERNMENT WILL VOTE AGAINST THE RESOLUTION SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE TWO INSTITUTIONS ON THE MATTER.

"WITH MY BEST PERSONAL REGARDS,

"YOURS TRULY,

"ABDUL RAHMAN S. AL-ATEEQI,

"MINISTER OF FINANCE"

3. COMMENT: DEMARCHE IN THIS MATTER WAS TIMELY AND
EFFECTIVE. KUWAITIS APPRECIATE THIS KIND OF DIALOGUE
AND WE HOPE IT WILL BE KEPT UP ON OTHER FINANCIAL ISSUES
IN THE FUTURE.
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